# Mountain Weather Forecast

## South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 02 Apr 2023 until 23:59 on Monday 03 Apr 2023

Forecast Issued on Sunday 02 Apr 2023 at 03:52 by Met Office Aberdeen

**Confidence:** High for mainly dry conditions for a few days, lower for cloud details on Sunday and when any cloud and rain may arrive midweek.

**Headline for Sunday 02 Apr 2023:** A mostly cloudy day with hill fog, and some drizzle in the morning. Dry in the afternoon, locally sunny. Light winds.

**Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 02 Apr 2023**

**Blizzards**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent snow**
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**
No Likelihood

**Gales**
No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**
No Likelihood

**Poor visibility**
Medium Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**
No Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**
Low Likelihood

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | |
| 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| FOG | FOG | FOG | | | |
| Fog | Fog | Fog | Cloudy | Sunny intervals | Partly cloudy (night) |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | |
| 20% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 10% |

**Forecast for Sunday 02 Apr 2023**

**Weather:** A mostly cloudy day, with hill fog and perhaps a few spots of rain in the morning, otherwise dry. Some sunnier skies may affect the Ochils from morning and the cloud elsewhere will gradually lift, thin, and later break.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 20% until mid morning lifting 75% in the afternoon and more than 90% in the evening.

**Low Cloud and visibility:** Cloud at 500-750m in the morning, lifting up to, then above the tops during the day and then becoming more broken in the evening, with an earlier clearance over the Ochils. Occasionally poor visibility at first in drizzle but then becoming good away from cloud, if rather hazy.

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**Forecast for Sunday 02 Apr 2023**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1100** | 7/9 SW | 6/8 SW | 4/6 W | 6/8 SW | 9/12 S | 8/11 S | 12/16 S |
| **900** | 6/8 SW | 4/6 SW | 3/5 W | 6/8 SW | 9/12 S | 8/11 S | 11/15 S |
| **600** | 2/5 SW | 2/5 W | 3/4 N | 5/8 S | 7/10 S | 4/6 S | 4/6 SE |
| **300** | 3/8 SW | 4/8 SW | 2/5 S | 4/6 SE | 5/9 S | 2/5 E | 2/6 S |
| **Glen** | 2/6 W | 3/7 SW | 3/6 SW | 4/8 S | 4/9 S | 4/7 SW | 4/10 SW |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1100** | -1/-4 | -0/-4 | 0/-2 | 1/-2 | 0/-4 | 0/-4 | 0/-4 |
| **900** | 1/-2 | 1/-1 | 2/1 | 3/0 | 3/-1 | 2/-2 | 2/-3 |
| **600** | 2/1 | 3/2 | 4/3 | 5/3 | 4/2 | 4/2 | 1/-1 |
| **300** | 4/2 | 5/3 | 7/6 | 8/7 | 7/5 | 4/3 | 2/0 |
| **Glen** | 4/3 | 5/4 | 7/6 | 8/7 | 7/6 | 4/3 | 2/0 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 1100m | 1100m | 1200m | 1200m | 1200m | 1100m | 800m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View**
Uncertainty over time and location of cloud breaks but cloud gradually lifting through the afternoon.

**Forecast for Monday 03 Apr 2023**
**Weather:** A dry day with some sunny spells, occasionally hazy due to high cloud.

**Maximum wind:** South or southeast 25 gusts 35mph.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 90% or more.

**Low Cloud and visibility:** No low cloud. Good visibility though with some haze.

**Temperature:** **Glens:** Plus 4 Celsius at dawn rising to Plus 9 in the afternoon.
**At 800m:** Zero Celsius rising to Plus 4 in the afternoon.
**Freezing level:** 800m rising to 1200m for a time in the afternoon.

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